

# THE RILEY BUGLE CALL

# Community Action Council 18 February 2004 9:30am Soldier & Family Support Center

Welcome - Introductory Remarks
COL John A. Simpson, Jr.
Garrison Commander, Fort Riley, Kansas

Presentation
Officer & Civilian Spouses Proclamation Presentation
Army Family Team Building – SFSC

#### **Announcements**

#### **Irwin Army Community Hospital (IACH)**

- We continue to work through challenges associated with providing healthcare both to those remaining at Fort Riley as well as those Soldiers mobilizing and demobilizing through Fort Riley on their way into or returning from the Southwest Asia theater of operations. IACH continues to experience losses of health care providers and support staff to deployments and as always continues to work diligently to augment these losses and to mitigate the effect of this installation's continuing mobilization mission on appointments in our facility, specifically in the Primary Care clinics. We are working on identifying and hiring additional healthcare providers and have been successful in obtaining the services of several providers in the primary care arena, and in both our OB/GYN and ophthalmology clinics. In addition we are pleased to welcome home one of our deployed OB/GYN physicians and eagerly expect additional providers back during the month of March. However, as we continue to mention, Fort Riley is currently scheduled to receive large numbers of Soldiers from both the reserve component and the Active Duty force returning from both Southwest Asia and from European deployments. These Soldiers will require extremely intense medical processing which will place a large demand our facility. In an attempt to mitigate this effect we continue to authorize our beneficiaries access to the local TRICARE network and continue to request or contract for additional medical and support staff from other installations and the local community to assist in meeting your healthcare needs in a timely manner.
- Flu shots continue to be available and are being given to Fort Riley families and eligible military retirees at Irwin Army Community Hospital while supplies last. Shots will be administered in Primary Care Clinic #3 on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 7:45-11:15am and from 1:00-3:45pm, on Tuesday from 1:00-3:45pm. Patients are again reminded to bring their medical records with them when attempting to obtain this immunization. Department of the Army civilian (DAC) employees are invited to obtain the flu vaccine from the Occupational Health clinic daily (excluding Saturday and Sunday) from 7:30-8:30am on a walk-in basis. Additionally, (DAC) employees may walk-in to the clinic at any time during normal business hours but may be required to wait based on mission requirements if the visit is scheduled outside of the above-dedicated flu shot schedule.

- IACH began offering patients the ability to obtain specific non-prescription medication from the Outpatient Pharmacy without first seeing a healthcare provider. Beneficiaries wishing to participate in this program must first complete the Patient Medication Self-Care Program. Fort Riley beneficiaries will be able to schedule an appointment to attend a Self-Care class at IACH in Preventive Medicine. In order to attend the class please call the TRICARE appointment system at 784-1200 and ask to attend the Self-Care Class. Self-Care classes will focus on wellness and preventive health care measures. Self-Care class attendees will receive a Self-Care manual for future reference to help make decisions to seek medical care or access the Self-Care process. Only beneficiaries who attend the class are eligible to access Self-Care medications at the Main Outpatient or CTMC Pharmacy by completing a request for medications and presenting a completion card for the Self-Care class to the Pharmacy Staff along with a Military ID Card. Quantity limitations for medications are 3 medication selections per family member every 30 days. For questions and concerns please contact us at 239-7411, 239-7520 or 239-4411.
- A new feature associated with the MEDDAC and with the TRICARE health plan is the
  advent of TRICARE On Line or TOL. TOL allows patients the opportunity to book certain
  types of appointments through the Internet. In order to utilize this feature of TRICARE
  you must first register in the online system. You must go to the TOL website at
  WWW.TRICAREONLINE.COM and select the register tab on the left of the screen. You
  will choose the register as a beneficiary option and answer the questions posed. Once
  registered, you will be able to view and book those appointments coded by IACH as
  available for online booking.
- Patients who are unsure if their condition requires an appointment or who would rather attempt home or self care should call the TRICARE Nurse Advice Line at 1-888-887-4111. This service is offered free of charge to all TRICARE beneficiaries who need advice on their medical condition. This service may be an invaluable tool for determining if your specific set of symptoms require an appointment with a healthcare professional and may help you to avoid waiting in the Emergency Room only to discover you or your family member has a condition which may be managed effectively at home using over the counter remedies.

# **Directorate of Community Activities**

#### **Business Operations**

- Custer Hill Golf Course Bldg. 5202 Normandy (785) 784-6000
  - Membership Savings for Golf: The golf course is in excellent condition, the only problem is the weather is now cold and fewer golfers are enjoying use of the facility. The hours of operation will be changing to meet the needs of the facilities and to keep our costs low. You can help us by becoming a member during this time of year. The golf course will be keeping memberships intact for the coming year. An annual membership is very reasonable and allows one to play golf at any time only by registering when coming out to play. It would take about 40 rounds of golf to equal a membership, so the sooner you join, the sooner you can enjoy your golf.
  - Although memberships remain the same price for the coming year, the cost of our 10-Play Cards will be rising to \$10, and E1-E4 prices will be \$7 for weekday play and \$10 for weekend play. All other weekday and weekend prices will remain the same at \$13 and \$15.

You can save by becoming either a member of the golf course or a 10-Play member—your choice. The savings will only come with your continued use and play on our course.

- Golf Instruction: Be thinking about what you want to do with your golf game for the coming year. Most of the Professionals are becoming more fit in order to hit the ball at higher speeds. The gyms on post are a great place to start in becoming more fit. Swinging a "shortened" broom is also another way to learn to swing the golf club better. Having the proper mechanics is also very important so you don't become injured. You can watch the golf channel on TV and also purchase videos to help become more efficient in swinging the golf club or broom. Visualizing, imagining and watching your golf swing and professional's golf swings can make dramatic changes to your game. Our contract golf professional will be scheduling clinics in the spring. If you are interested in signing up, call the golf course at 239-5412.
- Operating Hours:

Tuesday – Sunday – 10:00am-5:30pm Monday and <u>when snow is on the ground</u> – Closed

- The golf course is weather dependent. We will not be open in case of inclement weather. We are trying to keep our costs down to allow us to better serve you during the season.
- Rally Point 2600 Trooper Drive (785) 784-5434
  - Regular events planned are the following:
    - Krazy Karaoke every Wednesday and 10-cent wings
    - Request Night every Thursday
    - Family Night every Friday 5:00-8:00pm
    - Mixed Dance Night Fridays 8:00pm ++
    - Late Nite Program Every Friday & Saturday (11:00pm)
    - Variety Dance Night Saturday 8:00-11:00pm
    - Late Nite with Monroe 11:00pm-4:00am
  - o **Plan for your <u>Unit Function</u> at Rally Point!** Contact either Mike or Shawn at 784-5434 if you want to have a unit function in Rally Point. We are willing to help you any way we can.
- Custer Hill Lanes Bldg. 7485 Normandy (785) 239-4366
  - Come experience the difference for your "First Choice" as an entertainment place to go after work and every evening.
  - The Strike Zone Snack Bar: Open daily at 5:00pm. We offer pizza by the slice or by the pie. Call 239-1710. The snack bar also offers regular, fried entrees, hamburgers and salad specials.
  - Summer Leagues Sign up Now. The Bowling Center offers a regular program of bowling from Leagues, Open Bowling and Extreme Bowling.
  - Plus a New Program from 5:00-7:00pm. Pick your price, where you bowl and draw a price from the bowl. This is featured everyday.
  - Hours of operation:

Tuesday 5:00-11:00pm
Wednesday 5:00-11:00pm
Thursday 5:00-11:00pm
Friday 5:00pm-1:00am

Open Bowling

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(Open Bowling until 10:00pm then

Extreme Bowling)

Saturday 3:00pm-1:00am

Open Bowling

- Saturday 5:00-7:00pm
- Saturday 9:00pm-1:00am
   Sunday 5:00-10:00pm

Family Extreme Bowling
Extreme Bowling \$10/person
Family Extreme and Open
Bowling

- Sorry, Closed on Mondays
- ITR (Information, Ticketing & Registration) Bldg. 6918 (785) 239-5614
  - ITR offers the following services: Hotel Reservations, Fax Services, Discount Movie Tickets, Vacation Planning, Military Exchange Prepaid Calling Card and Leisure or Commercial Travel such as Airline Tickets and Cruises.
  - For more information contact the ITR Office at 239-5614.

#### **Community Recreation**

- Arts & Crafts Center Bldg. 6918 (785) 239-9205
  - The Fort Riley Arts & Crafts Center offers a number of open shop usage areas for patrons.
  - Usage areas include woodshop, ceramics studios, matting and framing studio, computer lab, photography, stained glass, sewing, quilting, basket weaving and leather.
  - Classes are offered in the evenings and on weekends in all program areas. A schedule of upcoming classes is available.
  - Open shop activities hours of operation:
    - Monday and Tuesday 1:00-8:30pm
    - Wednesday 9:00am-4:30pm
    - Thursday and Fridays Closed
    - Saturday and Sunday 9:00am-4:30pm
    - Closed most holidays.
    - Please note that the Sales Store hours have been reduced during the deployments. The sales store is now open during the regular open shop hours listed above.
  - The Arts & Crafts Center is co-located with ITR in Bldg. 6918 across from the Post Exchange. Call 239-9205 for more information.
  - Arts & Crafts offers tours and classes for groups such as coffee groups, FRGs and scouts.
  - The woodshop has 4,000 square feet of floor space and all the specialized equipment to complete any project. A large selection of hardwoods, plywood and processed materials are available for purchase.
  - The ceramic studio has over 2,000 molds available as well as four potters wheels and five ceramic kilns, making it possible to create finished ceramic ware from scratch.
  - The matting and framing studio has a huge selection of mats and frame stock available as well as state of the art equipment. Conservation and preservation mats are available for fine art work pieces. Finish a project in one day with the help of our friendly staff.
  - The black and white photography lab offers five enlargers, large sink areas and film and print dryers. Photo supplies are available for purchase.

- The computer lab has two desktop computers with a wide range of graphics and business software. A flatbed color scanner and color laser printer are ready for walk-in use. For a nominal fee, staff will show what programs are available and then you can get to work. You must have previous computer knowledge. Internet access is available for purchase.
- Other studio areas include stained glass, sewing, quilting, basket weaving and leather. Specialized equipment such as sewing machines, zyron and Accu Cut for scrap booking, glass saw and grinders, and engraving equipment are available for walk-in use.
- Services Available includes professional matting and framing, plaques and awards and computer engraving. The center boasts a new laser engraver that rivals any engraving service in the area. Stop by for a free estimate on matting and framing services for your artwork, prints or certificates.
- Stop by for a class schedule.

#### Automotive Skills Center Bldg. 7753 Apennines (785) 239-9764

- The Fort Riley Automotive Skills Center is located in Bldg. 7753, Apennines Dr, next to the 24-hour car wash.
- The automotive skills center provides state of the art tools and equipment for patrons utilizing the facility.
- Basic and advance automotive repairs for active duty personnel, dependants, retiree, reservists, youth and scouts
- o Basic automotive repair class first and third Thursday of each month 6:00-7:30pm
- Advance automotive repair class second and fourth Thursday of each month 6:00-7:30pm
- Services include four-wheel drive front and rear wheel alignment, air conditioning testing and service, 25-point vehicle safety inspection (\$10 by appointment), and much more.
- Professional staff of trained mechanics to instruct and assist in self repair projects
- 15 Vehicle Lift Bays
- Open bays and lift bays with complete set of tools and roll-around benches for customer use.
- Complete tool room with specialized tools and limited parts store.
- 8 Bay Car Wash with power washers and vacuum cleaners.
- State-of-the-art Paint Booth and Body Shop person for expert advice and instruction.
- Mitchell on-demand technical library available on DVD.
- Check us out so we can check your automotive needs before you pay expensive repair bills.
- We have the latest equipment to perform tests on alternators, batteries, airconditioning, on-board computers, anti-lock brakes and much more.
- o On site parts sales store

#### Outdoor Recreation Center Bldg. 9011 (785) 239-2363

Hours of Operation:

Tuesday - Friday - 9:00am-5:00pm Saturday - 8:00am-4:00pm Closed Sunday, Monday, and Holidays

 Large selection of camping, canoeing, boating and outdoor recreation items for rent

- Clay Target Shotgun Range Adult & youth 12 or 20 gauge shotguns available for rent for \$5. Targets are \$5 for a round of 25 or shoot 3 rounds for \$10.
- Variety of targets available at the Archery Range. 3-D target (small) \$4/day, 3-D target (large) \$6/day. Try the range from the view of our new tree stand.
- Improve your hunting skills with the Laser Shot Shooting Simulation System. Price for group or individual rates. Call 239-2363 for details.
- Earn money for your unit or organization by renting our new movie theater style popcorn machine and selling popcorn. \$8/day
- Rent an inflatable play space "Moon Walk" for your child's activity (requires electricity).

#### Sports (785) 239-3868

#### Riley Wheels Skating Rink

- Sunday 2:00 to 4:00pm Family Skate \$6.00 per family for the first six family members and \$1.00 per each additional member. Authorized ID Card holders only!
- Riley Wheels is available for rent for private functions such as birthdays, unit parties, support groups, youth and school groups, scouts, etc. For more information call 239-3764.

#### Community Life Program

 The Community Life Softball program is now accepting team registration for the upcoming season. Registration is due to the sports office NLT April 15, 2004.
 Cost per team will be \$75. Fees will have to accompany registration. Team roster will need to be submitted by May 12, 2004. For more information call 239-3764.

#### Eyster Pool

- February 9, 2004 Sign up for swim lessons
- February 23 March 5 Swimming Lessons Eyster Pool

Guppy	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	5:00-5:30pm	\$15
Level I	Monday - Thursday	5:30-6:00pm	\$20
Level II	Monday - Thursday	6:15-6:45pm	\$20
Level III	Monday - Thursday	6:45-7:15pm	\$20
Call 239-9	441 for information.	•	·

- o February 23, 2004 Sign up for March Swim Lessons
- March 8 19 Swim Lessons Eyster Pool

Guppy	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	5:00-5:30pm	\$15
Level I	Monday - Thursday	5:30-6:00pm	\$20
Level II	Monday – Thursday	6:30-7:00pm	\$20
Level III	Monday – Thursday	7:00-7:30pm	\$20

#### Lifequard Training

Spring Break Lifeguard Training

March 19	4:00-6:00pm	Pre-test
March 20	9:00am-5:00pm	Class
March 21	9:00am-5:00pm	Class
March 22	9:00am-5:00pm	Class and Te

 The cost for the Lifeguard training is \$75 plus the cost of books. The Fort Riley Aquatics Staff will be looking for potential summer hires for the 2004 Summer Season. For more information or to sign up for the above classes please call 239-9441.

#### Adult Intramural Sports Programs

o March 2 - 9 Post Company Level Basketball Tournament

March 8 - April 26
 March 22 - May 10
 Battalion Level Volleyball League
 Battalion Level Soccer League

o For more information call 239-3945.

#### Fitness Programs

 Aerobic Classes – Monday & Thursday 5:30-6:00pm Costs are \$2.00 per class or as listed if paid for in advance.

February \$10.50/reg for monthMarch \$10.50/reg for month

#### \*\* No class on March 22 & 25 due to Spring Break

There must be at least 6 registered members for the month, otherwise class will be cancelled.

#### Train for the Prairie

- O Have you ever wanted to run 2-5 miles and thought you just couldn't do it? The Fitness Department will begin a 2 and 5 mile training beginning in March. The participants that train for the duration will have the opportunity to run in the 10-5-2 Prairie Run (held in late July) at no cost and upon doing so will receive a Prairie Run T-shirt at no cost. Register by calling 239-2813 or coming by the Fitness Office at King Field House, Bldg. 202. Deadline for scheduling purposes will be February 20, 2004. Schedules will be determined by the needs of the majority of registrants. The goal of this program is to encourage and motivate its participants to achieve a sense of self-accomplishment. Our focus will be to **Finish!**
- Personal training sessions are available and limited. The Fort Riley Fitness Departments personal trainer is able to provide body fat analysis and assist you with your fitness goals. Call and schedule your appointments as soon as possible. Please call the Sports Dept. 239-3146 for additional information.

#### Childcare at King Field House

 Childcare is now available at King Field House Fitness Center Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:45-10:45am. Slots are limited and must be reserved and paid for in advance. Register at the Sports Dept. between 8:00-12:00am and 1:00-4:00pm Monday-Friday. Parents must remain on site while using childcare.

#### Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers (BOSS) (785) 239-8147

## Soldier and Family Support Center (785) 239-9435

- Community Life Activities
  - Volunteer Appreciation Week 12-16 April Theme for this year is "Volunteers: Keeping Fort Riley's Homefront Strong and Steady
  - Hours and Nominations for Volunteer of the Year are due today, 18 February 2004. Turn them in at Soldier and Family Support Center. For more information, please contact Installation Volunteer Coordinator at 239-9435.
- Relocation/Family Readiness

o Newcomers' Orientation: 8:30am-2:30pm 27 February

12 March 26 March PCS Briefings:

1:30-3:00pm

Stateside - 25 February Korea - 3 March

Germany - 10 March Overseas - 17 March Stateside - 24 March

- O Homecoming and Reunion Celebrations Several Family Readiness Groups (FRG) are in the process of planning homecoming and reunion events for returning soldiers. FRG's are reminded that events should always be planned with safety as a priority and in accordance with Fort Riley regulations and policies.
- Soldier & Family Member Deployment Preparation Briefings are conducted in conjunction with the TSIRTS training to prepare soldiers and family members for separation issues prior to deployment. Briefings are usually held every other Friday (except training holidays) at the Soldier and Family Support Center, Bldg. 7264 Custer Hill. The 2nd quarter briefings will be held on the following dates: 20 February, 5 and 19 March. Points of Contact 239-9435.
- Weekly Activity Day for Spouses of Deployed Soldiers –Due to reduced attendance the weekly activity day for Spouses of Deployed Soldiers will only be scheduled twice a month. The sessions will usually be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays unless there is a holiday. Classes are held at the Soldier and Family Support Center, Bldg. 7264 12:00-3:00pm. Free Childcare/6 weeks to 5yrs. (please bring shot records/ snack is provided) Parent must stay in the center. For additional information contact Family Readiness Center Coordinator at 239-9435.
- Help is always available Does the deployment have your emotions going up and down like a roller coaster?
  - Contact Fort Riley Army Community Service-239-9435,
  - Chaplain Help Line- 263-HELP(4357),
  - Army One Source-24 hour Help Line 1-800-464-8107.

## Army Family Action Plan (AFAP)

- The Army Family Action Plan (AFAP) 2003 conference issues were presented to the Garrison Commander's Steering Committee in December and assigned to the responsible agency to be addressed. The status of the issues will be updated at the March 4, 2004, committee meeting. If you are interested in the status of any issue feel free to contact the Program Manager at 239-9435, Soldier & Family Support Center Building 7264.
- o It is never too early to submit issues. If you see or experience something that needs attention/improvement, call it in or write it down and send it to the AFAP Program Manager at the Soldier & Family Support Center, Bldg. 7264, Fort Riley 66442. The next installation conference will be in October 2004. Fort Riley cannot fix a problem if we do not know there is one. Please feel free to submit issues between now and October.

# Army Family Team Building (AFTB)

o If you are new to the Fort Riley area and are interested in learning about resources that are available to you or find that everyone is speaking another language that sounds more like the alphabet than words, then you could benefit from the Army Family Team Building (AFTB) Level One classes. The AFTB classes are scheduled through the end of March 2004. You can access the schedule by the Fort Riley web page or call the Program Manager at 239-9435.

- Level One and Level Two classes are offered at the Armed Services YMCA in Junction City on designated Fridays 11:00am-2:00pm with free childcare on site. You <u>mst</u> contact the AFTB Program Manager to enroll your children prior to attending any classes. For more information or to speak to the Program Manager please call 239-9435. Level Two and Three evening classes are given at the Soldier and Family Support Center and are open to everyone. There is no childcare provided for the evening classes.
- o If you, your unit/battalion, Family Readiness Group or other group would like to schedule separate Level I, II or III classes, please contact the Program Manager. These classes can be held at your location or at the Soldier and Family Support Center. There is a minimum of five people required to hold a class and two weeks notice is needed for planning.

#### Child and Youth Services (CYS) (785) 239-9173

- Instructional Classes Registration for all classes is from 9:00am-1:00pm Monday-Thursday at Child and Youth Services, Bldg. 6620 at the Central Enrollment Registry (CER). Enrollments will be taken when there are openings. A waiting list will be established for classes when there are no current openings. We offer Dance, Gymnastics, Martial Arts, Piano, and Cheerleading classes. An annual sport physical is required for all instructional classes (except piano). A health assessment may be used if it is marked "cleared for all sports".
  - Gymnastics: Cost: \$25 per month and \$35 per month for Exhibition Team.
     Classes meet at Fort Riley Teen Center.

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5:00-6:00pm	5-7 yrs
6:00-7:00pm	7-9 yrs
7:00-8:00pm	10-15 yrs
5:00-6:00pm	4-6 yrs
6:00-7:00pm	4-6 yrs
7:00-8:00pm	6-8 yrs
5:00-6:00pm	3-5 yrs
6:00-7:30pm	Exhibition Class
	5:00-6:00pm 6:00-7:00pm 7:00-8:00pm 5:00-6:00pm 6:00-7:00pm 7:00-8:00pm 5:00-6:00pm

 Martial Arts: Cost: \$25 per month. Classes are held on Saturday at the Teen Center gymnasium, Bldg. 5800, Fort Riley.

Pre-School Entry 3-5 yrs (not in Kindergarten) 10:00-11:00am
Beginner Level Kindergarten-18 yrs 11:30am-1:00pm
Advanced Level Kindergarten-18 yrs 2:00-4:00pm

- Piano: Instructor has a BS in Music Education and has taught classroom and individual lessons for 8 years. Cost: \$45 per month for weekly 30 min. lessons, which will be held in the music room at the Fort Riley Teen Center, Bldg. 5800.
- Cheerleading: Boys and girls ages 6-14 are eligible to enroll. Classes will end March 18, 2004 for the season. Next classes will be summer cheerleading camps or clinics. Regular classes will resume September 2004.
- Dance: Ballet, Tap, Jazz, and Lyrical classes are on Wednesday. Cost: \$25 per month for 50-minute lesson once per week. Recitals are held at Christmas and in the spring, and public performances are held throughout the year. Boys and girls 3-18 years are eligible to enroll. Classes are held at the Teen Center, Bldg. 5800

5:00-5:50pm 6-8years Ballet and Tap 6:00-6:50pm 3-4years Ballet and Tap 7:00-7:50pm 5-6years Ballet and Tap

- Red Cross Babysitting Course
  - Upcoming classes: March 6 at Bldg. 5800.
  - Cost is \$10. Call CER for more information at 239-4847.
  - · Youth must be 11 years and older
  - All youth (12 years and older) who successfully complete the course are eligible to be included on the Fort Riley Teen Babysitter Referral List, with parental permission.
- Central Enrollment Registry (CER) Bldg. 6620 on Normandy Avenue
  - Must be registered in CYS to participate in CYS programs
  - o Hours of Operation: Monday-Thursday 8:30am-5:30pm and Friday 1:00-5:30pm
  - o Annual registration fee is \$15 per child, or \$35 per family
  - CYS registration may be transferred to a new duty station upon PCS
  - Contact CER at 239-4847, for information, or make an appointment to enroll in CYS
- Parent Advisory Council (PAC) meets first Friday of each month from 4:00-5:00pm in Bldg. 6620 training room. All parents are encouraged to attend. Agenda includes program updates and parent information. Patrons receive a 10% discount after attending three meetings. Call Outreach Services at 239-9850 for additional information
- Child Development Center (CDC) is accredited by the National Association for the Education for Young Children (NAEYC)
  - Hours of Operations are from 6:00am to 6:00pm
  - Serve children ages 6 weeks to Kindergarten
  - o Full-day, part-day preschool and hourly care is available
  - Free hourly care is available for families of deployed soldiers on 21
    February, 6 and 20 March. Children between 6 weeks of age and
    Kindergarten will receive free care at the CDC from 10:00am to 1:00pm.
    Lunch will be served to the children at 11:30am. Children must be registered
    with CYS to participate in this program, and must make a reservation by
    noon on the Thursday prior to the Saturday opening.
- Family Child Care consists of care offered in on-post quarters by a military family member who meets FCC certification requirements. Homes are inspected and monitored regularly. Adult family members must pass background checks.
  - Hours of Operation are from 6:00am to 6:00pm, with the ability to offer extended and overnight care in the evenings and on weekends for duty related needs. FCC providers offer flexible hours that may better meet the needs of those requiring child care for extended periods, and for shift workers.
  - Serve children 4 weeks to 12 years of age
  - o Full-day, part-day, and hourly care available
  - Small group setting with home atmosphere
- Family Child Care Home Certification An FCC orientation is held on the first Thursday of each month for people interested in becoming an FCC provider. The orientation is from 2:30-4:00pm in Bldg. 6620. For more information, call the FCC Director at 239-9892. Three Fort Riley FCC homes recently achieved Military Home Accreditation status.
- School Age Services is accredited by the National School Age Care Alliance (NSACA).
  - Hours of Operations are from 6:00am to 6:00pm
  - Before and after school program for 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grades
  - Kindergarten Program
  - Transportation provided to and from on-post schools. "Transportation is not provided for Hourly Care students"

Breakfast is served up to 8:00am

#### Open Recreation (hourly care)

- Available for children in 1-5<sup>th</sup> grade
- Monday-Friday from 3:30-6:00pm on school days, 1:30-6:00pm on school earlyout days and 6:00am-6:00pm on no-school days
- o Parents must provide transportation and reservations are suggested
- Free hourly care is available for families of deployed soldiers on 21 February, 6 and 20 March. Children who are in Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade may receive free care at SAS from 10:00am to 1:00pm. Lunch will be served to the children at 11:30am. Children must be registered with CYS to participate in this program, and must make a reservation by noon on the Thursday prior to the Saturday opening.
- Children eligible for School Age Services, who are registered with CYS, are also eligible to receive 5 hours of free Open Recreation each month. Reservations are recommended. Call CYS at 239-9478 for more information.

#### Middle School and Teen Program

- Fort Riley Teen Center, Bldg. 5800, corner of Thomas and Longstreet, 239-9222.
   The Teen Center participated in 4-H projects, Boys and Girls Club, Character Counts, and Promise Passport.
- Teen Center Activities Fitness room and Gymnasium open every day after school. 4H projects, Art projects, Photography offered weekly. Homework room/time available every day after school from 3:30-5:00pm

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	<ul> <li>20 February</li> </ul>	Pool Party	7:00-10:00pm					
	<ul> <li>21 February</li> </ul>	Family Potluck	6:30pm					
	<ul> <li>27 February</li> </ul>	Middle School Dance	8:00-10:30pm					
		\$1 for members, \$2 for non-m	nembers					
	<ul> <li>28 February</li> </ul>		9:00-11:30pm					
0	March Teen Center	Activities						
	<ul> <li>6 March</li> </ul>	Canned Food Drive	3:00-6:00pm					
	<ul> <li>12 March</li> </ul>	MST Dance	8:00-10:30pm					
	<ul> <li>3 March</li> </ul>	High School Dance	9:00-11:30pm					
	<ul> <li>19 March</li> </ul>	Game Room Tourneys	8:00-11:00pm					
	<ul> <li>20 March</li> </ul>	Topeka Zoo	10:00am-4:00pm					
	\$5.00, sign up by 18 March required							
	<ul> <li>22 March</li> </ul>	Moon Lake Clean-Up	1:00-4:00pm					
	<ul> <li>23 March</li> </ul>	Cosmosphere	9:00am-6:00pm					
		\$10 each, sign up by 19 March required						
	<ul> <li>24 March</li> </ul>	Topeka Mall Trip	1:00-6:00pm					
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	<ul> <li>25 March</li> </ul>	Relay Races & BBQ \$3	1:00-5:00pm					
		@ Sports Complex						
	<ul> <li>26 March</li> </ul>	MST Dance	8:00-10:30pm					
		Swimming	2:00-5:00pm					
	<ul> <li>27 March</li> </ul>	Family Potluck, Irish Theme	6:00-9:00pm					
	<ul> <li>27 March</li> </ul>	High School Dance	9:00-11:30pm					

 Youth Sports Enrollment for Spring Soccer will be 17 February - 5 March 2004 at CER Bldg. 6620 from 1:00-5:00pm. (walk-in). Spring Soccer is open to boys and girls in Kindergarten thru 8<sup>th</sup> grade.

Youth must register with CYS and have a sports physical dated after 15 May 2003. Cost is \$20 per youth. If you are interested in coaching a team, please contact the Youth Sports Director at 239-9223.

- School Liaison Officer 239-1558
  - POC for school related information and services
  - o Office hours are 8:00am-5:00pm, Monday-Friday in Bldg. 6620, Normandy Drive
  - o Sign up for School Liaison Office In Touch for updates on school related topics.
  - USD 475 (Geary County-Junction City, Fort Riley, Milford, and Grandview Plaza) website: <a href="http://www.usd475.org">http://www.usd475.org</a> Tel: 785-238-6184

February 19-26: Conferences will be held. Check with your child's school for specific days of conferences and other no school days, as schedules vary by grade level.

February 19-No KDGN

Spring Break: March 21-27

USD 383 (Manhattan-Ogden) website: <a href="http://www.usd383.org/">http://www.usd383.org/</a> Tel: 785-587-2000

February 18 & 19-MHS Parent/Teacher Conferences

February 20-No School – MHS only

February 20-Early Release for Elementary Students

Spring Break: March 21-27

#### Fort Riley University 239-6481

- Education Division
  - Leadership Skills Enhancement Courses (LSEC) is offered to soldiers, family members, and Department of Army Civilians at no cost. These courses are worth college credit, can be applied to local degree programs and are transferable. LSEC classes are held during the normal duty day. To enroll in an LSEC course, see an Army Education Counselor at Bldgs. 217, 7604 or 7656. Appointments are not necessary. Counselors are available from 7:30am-5:00pm and provide services during the lunch hour.
  - LSEC Class Dates:
    - 25 February 6 April
    - 12 April –21 May
  - Evening college courses at five on-post colleges are also available. A wide variety
    of degree programs are offered. Students may earn certificates, associate
    degrees, bachelor degrees or master's degrees. Counselors will assist will
    course selection and course enrollment as well as applications for financial aid.
  - College Class Dates
    - 29 March 22 May
    - 1 June 28 July
  - Watch the website for new class schedules or sign up for In-touch on the website and we will let you know when new schedules are published. Go to: <a href="http://www.riley.army.mil/Services/Education/StudentServices.asp.">http://www.riley.army.mil/Services/Education/StudentServices.asp.</a>
     Click on Fort Riley University Course Offerings On-Line. Check out the schedules.

#### **Installation Chapel Office**

National Prayer Luncheon at King Field House Fitness Center, 11:45-1:00pm on 17
March 2004. Guest speaker is Chaplain (BG) Haberek, Deputy Chief of Chaplains.
Spouses and children are encouraged to attend. For more information and/or tickets
please contact the Command Chaplain's Office at 239-3359 or stop by our office in Bldg.
211 (Wainright Hall) across from King Field House Fitness Center.

#### Christian Concert and Seminar Series – Fort Riley, Kansas

- Friday, February 20, 2004, 7:00pm, Morris Hill Chapel
   S & P (Country, Cowboy, Western Christian Music)
- Saturday, February 21, 2004, 9:00am, Morris Hill Chapel
   S & P Marriage Enrichment Seminar
- Saturday, March 6, 2004, 9:00am, Morris Hill Chapel Wives of Warriors, Marriage Enrichment Seminar
- Friday, March 19, 2004, 7:00pm, Kaupaun Chapel
   S.T. (Rock, Praise & Worship Band)
- Friday, April 16, 2004, 7:00pm, Morris Hill Chapel
   T.K. (Conservative Contemporary Music)
- Saturday, April 17, 2004, 9:00am, Morris Hill Chapel
   T.K. Man's Seminar
- Friday, May 14, 2004, 7:00pm, Morris Hill Chapel
   D. H. (Contemporary Christian Music Singer and Songwriter)
- Saturday, May 15, 2004, 9:00am, Morris Hill Chapel
   D.E. Parenting and Marriage Enrichment Seminar
   "Training your dog and your child to obey"
- Friday, June 18, 2004, 7:00pm, Morris Hill Chapel Journey Bound Quartet (Southern Gospel Music)
- Saturday, June 19, 2004, 9:00am, Morris Hill Chapel
   Dr. W. Marriage Enrichment Seminar

#### Easter Services

- 25 February Ash Wednesday Mass and Distribution of Ashes 12:00pm at St. Mary's Chapel and 5:30pm at Morris Hill Chapel
- 8 April Holy Thursday Catholic Service "Mass of the Lord's Last Supper" at 7:00pm – St. Mary's Chapel
- 9 April Good Friday Catholic Service "Celebration of Our Lord's Passion"- St. Mary's Chapel 1:00pm
- 9 April Good Friday Protestant Service Main Post Chapel Time To Be Determined
- 10 April Easter Vigil Catholic Service Morris Hill Chapel 7:00pm
- 11 April Easter Sunrise Service Post-Wide Ecumenical Service Morris Hill Chapel – 6:30am

#### Military Council of Catholic Women (MCCW)

Everyone (male and female) is invited to join us for our weekly Faith Sharing Program. It is held every Monday immediately following daily noon mass at the Hospital Chapel located on the second floor of Irwin Army Hospital. We will be looking at a book titled <u>An Invitation to Catholicism</u>. Copies of this book can be obtained from Morris Hill Chapel or at the weekly meeting. Please call us at 239-4815 for more information. MCCW is looking for volunteers to help with another chapel cleaning project. We will be sprucing up the large meeting room in the basement of St. Mary's Chapel.
 If you are interested in lending your talents to this project please contact 784-6047.

#### **Staff Judge Advocate**

#### Tax Center opened January 21, 2004

- The Tax Center offers free preparation and electronic filing of Federal Tax returns for soldiers, retirees and their family members. By filing electronically you can have your refund deposited directly in your bank account in approximately 10 days. A soldier filing a 1040EZ can usually save \$120 by utilizing the free Tax Center services.
- The Tax Center is in Bldg. 7034, Bullard St. which is behind 1<sup>st</sup> Brigade Headquarters on Custer Hill. The Tax Center will be open from January 21<sup>st</sup> to approximately April 15<sup>th</sup>. Office hours are 9:00am to 5:00pm on Monday through Thursday, 9:00am to 6:00pm on Friday, and 10:00am to 2:00pm on Saturday. Call 239-1040 to schedule an appointment.
- Start gathering your documents together now. You will need last year's tax return, this year's W-2's, 1099's, and proof of any other income. The Unit Tax Advisors at each unit can assist soldiers in preparing their return and will be available to answer most questions. People with more complicated returns will be directed to call the Tax Center, 239-1040, to schedule an appointment. Ensuring that you have all your paperwork will help the Tax Center staff promptly and efficiently file your Federal and State taxes.

#### **G5/Strategic Planning Office**

- Tell us what you think! Interactive Customer Evaluation, ICE, is a worldwide customer feedback system managed by the DOD Office of Quality Management. Fort Riley is a part of this system. We encourage you to use ICE to provide feedback on services provided by Fort Riley. You can comment on a wide range of services. Your feedback helps to insure that we deliver quality services throughout the installation.
- You can access ICE by clicking on the word ICE on the sidebar of the Fort Riley website homepage at (<a href="www.riley.army.mil">www.riley.army.mil</a>). Then select the general area of service on which you wish to comment and the list of services will come up. You will bring up the comment card by clicking on the service name. You can also access information about the service by clicking on the "I" balloon or see how others evaluate the service by checking on the box.
- ICE is a worldwide system for all branches of service. New installations are being added each week. If you travel or use the services of other installations you may want to check and see if they are in the system. You may do that by going to the main ICE Homepage at http:ice.disa.mil. ICE can be accessed from ANY computer with internet access. Your questions or suggestions regarding ICE should be directed to the Plans, Analysis & Integration (PAI) Office, phone 239-2540 or e-mail PAI@riley.army.mil

#### **Provost Marshal Office**

Winter Driving Road Conditions

 Heavy snowfall and icing on road surfaces make for hazardous driving conditions. To mitigate this, ensure that you allow additional travel time to account for slower driving speeds and increase following distances.
 For the latest information on winter road conditions, you can either tune into channel 2 or call the following number 239-2793 for periodic updates. Be advised that the color-coded

road condition classifications apply only to the echelons at which commanders may authorize the dispatch of government vehicles and not to installation access or operation of POVs on Fort Riley.

#### **Directorate of Public Works**

- Snow and Ice Removal Units, activities and family housing occupants are required to ensure removal of snow/ice within 24 hours of each snowfall from sidewalks, steps, and stairs, to include sidewalks to building mechanical rooms. De-Icer is available to family housing occupants through the Self-Help Store (Bldg. 289) for use on porches sidewalks and driveways. Troop units may obtain this de-icer by submitting a work order request, DA Form 4283, to Public Works, Bldg. 372, using NSN 6810-01-Z78-6133, De-Icer, 100# drum.
- Installation snow emergency parking plan During a declared snow emergency, parking will be on one side of the street only. Vehicles in housing areas will park on the even building numbered side of the street on even calendar dates, and on the odd side of the street on odd days. The only exception is where there is no parking on one side of the street. No parking signs are still in force and will not be violated. Streets with residents parking in violation of this policy will not be cleared. An announcement will be issued on Channel 2 when the plan is implemented. Alternate side parking will continue until the road is cleared from curb to curb. All residents should maximize the use of their driveways to reduce the numbers of vehicles on the street during the snow removal process.
- **Self-Help Store** Self-help's policy for loaning tools and equipment: 24-hour time frame. Penalized for late returns. Charged for damaged or lost item(s). Borrowers sign an acknowledgement of requirements. Winter items such as snow shovels are available.
- Absences from quarters All absences from quarters of 7 days or more must be
  reported to the Housing Office. Residents must have someone watching the quarters.
  Personal house watcher must make daily inspections and report any facility problems
  immediately for repair. Temperature sensing devices are now available at the Self Help
  Store. Use of these is now mandatory for residents requesting extended absences. Do
  not turn off heat. There have been numerous water line freeze ups resulting in
  assessment of charges to the residents.
- Smoke Detectors in Quarters\_- Smoke detectors can save lives. Residents are
  responsible for ensuring they are in good working order. Never remove the backup
  batteries from the detectors to use for other purposes. Never remove the detectors from
  the ceilings. Replace the batteries when the detectors start beeping. That is the warning
  sound for expired batteries. Replacement can be done by occupants or as a service
  order.
- Barbecue Grills Keep grills several feet from the house when in use because of the
  intense heat they generate. Fire regulations prohibit the use of barbecue grills on
  enclosed porches and balconies. Parents watch children while you BBQ this summer to
  prevent serious injury.

#### Extension Cords:

- Replace all extension cords after two or three years. Most cords are not intended for long-term use, so inspect them annually. If a cord frays or feels soft in any spot, throw it away.
- Extension cords should always lie flat and straight. A bent cord will overheat at the kink, destroying the insulation over time.

- Never put a cord under a rug or carpeting. Constant traffic will also wear away the cord's insulation.
- Never put more than two plugs into any extension cord. Although some cords can receive three or more plugs, you run the risk of overloading the circuit and starting a fire.
- Connecting a device that draws more power than your extension cord can handle will strain the device and overheat the cord.
- Be cautious with appliances. Unplug small appliances, such as toasters, irons and coffee makers, when not in use. An appliance left plugged into a wall socket may cause a fire if turned on accidentally by a child or pet.
- Do not use extension cords with refrigerators, air conditioners, washing machines and other heavy-duty appliances. Plug them directly into wall sockets.
- Presidents Day Holiday Trash/Recycle Collection Schedule: Trash/recycle collection schedule for the week of 16-20 February in observance of Presidents Day holiday is as follows:
  - o Monday: No pickup, Presidents Day.
  - Tuesday: Colyer Manor, Main Post, and Marshall Field.
  - Wednesday: Ellis Heights, O' Donnell Heights, and Peterson Heights (north of Thomas Avenue). Dumpsters at Bldgs. 27, 28, 45, 470, 471, 540, 541, 620, 510, and 5309.
  - Thursday: Warner Heights and Burnside Heights. (No change from regular schedule.)
  - o **Friday:** Meade Heights, McClellan Heights, South Warner Heights, and Peterson Heights (south of Thomas Avenue). **(No change from regular schedule.)**
  - Trash carts must be set out on the morning of the scheduled pickup no later than 7:30am and must be placed on the curb. The contractor is required to return them to the same spot. Those occupants on Main Post who have trash enclosures next to the curb do not have to set them outside of the enclosure. Holiday collection schedules are also posted on the Fort Riley Internet web page two weeks prior to, and the week of, all federal holidays
- Energy Conservation Authorized thermostat settings during the cooling season are 76 to 78 degrees. Remember to keep exterior doors and windows closed to help the cooling system prevent excessive humidity inside. Please turn off computer monitors, appliances and lights when not needed. Funds saved in the energy account go to improving the quality of life for soldiers and families.
- Recycling Reminder All on-post housing occupants are reminded of their responsibility to recycle to the extent possible. All recyclables except yard waste and large pieces of cardboard are to be placed in the Blue recycle bags and placed next to your trash containers the day of your scheduled pick-up. The blue recycle bags and a Resident User's Guide are issued at the time of assignment of the quarters, and additional bags can be obtained at no cost at the self help store. Please do not use the blue recycle bags for everyday trash or non-recycled items. Information on the recycling procedures are in the Resident User's Guide and in the Housing Handbook, page 48.

# **Directorate of Environment and Safety (DES)**

#### G3/DPTM

• 18 February CAC

• 19 February Blue Chip Social

25 February Retirement Ceremony

17 March Prayer Luncheon (St. Patrick's Day)

19 March Training Holiday

#### **Veterinary Services**

#### **American Red Cross**

- Our hours of operation are 7:30am-4:00pm Monday-Friday. We are open on training holidays unless otherwise posted on the front door of Bldg. 7264. 24-hour phone number for Red Cross Emergency Assistance is 1-877-272-7337. Our office is located in Bldg. 7264 Soldier & Family Support Center. Phone number to main office is 239-1887; the Station Manager 239-1837 and our FAX is 239-1812.
- Numerous volunteer opportunities are still available within Red Cross at Irwin Army Community Hospital, the JAG Office, Mother's Outreach, Summer Youth Program, and Leadership positions on the Advisory Board. The Red Cross orientations are held the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month. For further information or to register for the orientation, please contact our office at 239-1887 or stop by Bldg. 7264.
- CPR & First Aid Classes: Junction City will hold class on the 21st of February from 8:00am-5:00pm at the Junction City Chapter, 626 N. Washington St. Cost of class will be \$40.00, which includes the manual. To pre register call 238-3163.
- CPR & First Aid Classes: Manhattan Red Cross classes are March 9th/11th 5:30pm, and March 16th/18th 5:30pm. Cost of the class is \$50.00. To pre-register call 1-800-211-6452.

#### **Boy Scouts**

# **Girl Scouts**

#### **Armed Services YMCA (ASYMCA):**

#### New at the ASYMCA!

- Creative Memories Scrapbooking every third Friday of the month, beginning February 20, 2004
  - Put your children on our Friday Night Out childcare program from 5:30-10:00pm and come to our Creative Memories Scrapbooking session. Scrapbooking will be held in the back room.
  - For \$5.00 you can scrapbook using all the tools and accessories of Creative Memories Consultant Lisa Hunter. Dinner will also be included.
- Take advantage of our childcare programs:
- Mom's Morning Out
  - Tuesday Mornings 8:30am-12:00pm
  - \$6 per child
  - o \$6.75 per child under 2.
- Mid Week Break
  - o Wednesdays 10:30am-3:00pm
  - You must provide a sack lunch and a snack for your children.
  - \$7.00 1<sup>st</sup> child
  - o \$7.75 for children under 2
  - \$6.25 per additional child
  - \$6.50 per additional child under 2

#### Parent's Day Out

- o Fridays 11:00am-2:00pm
- You must provide a sack lunch for your children.
- o \$5.50 1<sup>st</sup> child.
- \$6.25 for children under 2
- o \$3.75 per additional child
- \$4.50 per additional child under 2.

#### Friday Night Out

- o 5:30-10:00pm
- o 5:30-6:30pm Dinner Hour
- o \$6.00 1st Child
- o \$6.75 for children under 2
- \$4.25 additional child
- o \$4.50 per additional child under 2
- o Additional \$1 charge for dinner hour. You must provide dinner for your children.
- o Reservations are required for all childcare programs.
- The ASYMCA also offers Aerobics Classes five times per week. Childcare is available
  for all classes at \$1.00 per child. No Reservations Needed! (We must have up to date
  shot records on all children).
  - \$2.00 per class for walk-ins or you may purchase a Punch Card for savings.
- Classes are:
  - Monday/Wednesday/Friday 9:00-10:00am
  - o Tuesday/Thursday 6:00-7:00pm
  - 45 minutes of Step Aerobics/15 minutes of toning.
  - Fridays Body Toning or Circuits.
- The ASYMCA is available for your FRG Meetings. Call to schedule.
- For more information call 238-2972 or stop by the ASYMCA at 111 East 16<sup>th</sup> Street, Junction City.

#### Thrift Shop

- Renewed Check Policy Personal checks will no longer be accepted. Carr Hall (Housing) offers the nearest ATM.
- Hours of Operation Bldg. 267, Stuart Avenue(next to the stables)
  - o 9:30am-2:30pm Tuesday & Wednesday.
  - 9:30am-6:00pm Extended hours on Thursday
  - o Saturday. February 7<sup>th</sup> 10:00am-1:00pm
- <u>Consignors and Volunteers</u> Items for consignment are accepted on Tuesdays; donations are accepted everyday. For more information on needed items or to schedule a pickup for large items, please call **784-3874**. Volunteers are always appreciated. Benefits include childcare reimbursement, first pick and discounts on donated items and a funworking atmosphere!

#### Historical and Archaeological Society of Fort Riley (HASFR)

# **Enlisted Spouses Club (ESC)**

 The Enlisted Spouses Club (ESC) is open to all Enlisted spouses: active duty, retirees or widowed service members. ESC builds support among spouses while assisting the Ft Riley and surrounding community through the sponsorship of community and welfare activities. In addition, we will be doing many fun events among the membership.

- For more information you can use the ESC e-mail ftrileyesc@yahoo.com.
- Our meetings are held on the last Wednesday of the month at Armed Services YMCA located at 111 E. 16th St. in Junction City. On site childcare is provided at membership meetings for a donation. To make childcare reservations please call 494-2094 or 784-3191.
- February 25th 6:30 at ASYMCA General Membership meeting. The Theme will be a Pamper Me Night. Childcare reservations are due no later then Feb 23rd to 784-8306 or 784-3191.

#### **Combined Scholarship Committee**

#### Officers' and Civilians' Spouses' Club (OCSC)

- OCSC would like to extend a warm and heartfelt **Thank You** to everyone who helped to
  make our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration special. We wouldn't be able to provide support
  for this community without support from this community. Here's to another 50 years of
  success and service....thanks, again.
- March Bowling Luncheon will be held on Thursday, March 18, 2004 at Custer Hill Lanes.
   The cost is \$10.00 per person and will include lunch & approximately 3 hours of bowling.
   You will need to have an extra \$1.00 for shoe rental. See flyer for details.
- OCSC Annual Spring Bazaar will be held April 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> at Hangar 817 on Marshall Army Air Field. We still need volunteers to head up certain committees. Please contact 785-537-7781 for more information. **The drawing for food booth opportunities will be held immediately following today's meeting.**
- OCSC will be disbursing our Community Assistance Funds in late April 2004. The following guidelines will ensure all requests are reviewed.
  - All requests must be submitted in writing and postmarked or received by 31 March 2004.
  - The request must include the name of the organization, a phone number and point of contact, and exact monetary amount, and a brief explanation outlining what the money will be used for.
  - If you are an organization that we are not familiar with, please include a brief mission statement as well.
  - The OCSC Community Assistance Committee will contact all applicants upon receipt of request. Please refer all questions to Community Assistance Chairperson 785-784-4742.
  - Please mail submissions to:
    - Officer's and Civilian's Spouses' Club
      Attn: Community Assistance Committee
      PO Box 2482
      Fort Riley, KS 66442

#### Or

Email submissions to: mccluremk@earthlink.net

Subject: Community Assistance Committee

#### The Shoppe

 The Shoppe is pleased to announce an open to the public grand reopening event. It will take place on Saturday, February 28, 2004 from 11:00am until 3:00pm. We will be open

- in our new location at the US Cavalry Museum, Bldg. 205. The Shoppe will be serving warm drinks and goodies to warm your tummy and your spirit. Come by and see the exciting changes and several new lines that are available...Polish Pottery anyone? The new Shoppe phone number is 239-2743.
- Volunteer opportunities are always available at The Shoppe. We need your support now more than ever before, as The Shoppe would like to expand our hours to fit the museum hours of operation. Limited childcare reimbursement is available. Please contact 784-4440 or 784-4468 to sign up.

#### **Commissary**

• **February Fun In Commissaries -** Commissary shoppers can check out the promotions area under the shopping link at <a href="http://www.commissaries.com">http://www.commissaries.com</a> for opportunities to win shopping sprees, trips to NASCAR and more through manufacturer special events.

#### **Army and Air Force Exchange Services**

The next Community Action Council will be held at 7:00pm Wednesday, March 17, 2004
SOLDIER and FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER
BLDG. 7264, Custer Hill
"America's Warfighting Center"

Announcements for the next "Riley Bugle Call" are due by noon, 11 March 2004 to the Community Life Coordinator, Building 7264, 239-9435. Email to <a href="mailto:site2665@riley.army.mil">site2665@riley.army.mil</a>

The CAC is shown four times daily on Channel 2, for four days following the CAC. The times are 8:30a.m. 12:30p.m. 6:30p.m. and 10:30p.m.

# **SCHEDULE FOR 2004**

17 March 7:00p.m.

21 April 9:30a.m.